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matter, refer to file No.1258.

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

**RE: Hosston (Travis Peak) Formation  
Lower Cotton Valley Formation,  
Reservoir A  
Sligo Field  
Bossier Parish, Louisiana**

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

EOG Resources, Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Hosston (Travis Peak) Formation and the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Sligo Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize EOG Resources, Inc. to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for HOSS TP SUI and LCV RA SUO at the locations shown on the attached plats;
2. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 8-B as to the Hosston (Travis Peak) Formation and Office of Conservation Order No. 8-K as to the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, for the proposed alternate unit wells, as shown on the attached plats;
3. To establish that the proposed alternate unit wells are necessary to recover hydrocarbons from each of the units on which they are to be drilled that cannot be produced from any other well located on these units;
4. To authorize the unit allowable for each of the above referenced units to be recovered from the existing wells located on the units, the proposed alternate unit wells, or any combination thereof, at the discretion of the operator;

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5. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The Hosston (Travis Peak) Formation in the Sligo Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 8-B, effective on and after September 1, 1956.

The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Sligo Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 8-K, effective on and after October 16, 1990.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party from Mr. Louis F. Gilbert, Louis Gilbert & Associates, Inc., Consulting Geologists, 3636 North Causeway Boulevard, Suite 204, Metairie, Louisiana 70002-7216, telephone number (504) 834-8112.

The attached list includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this application, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Enclosed is the application fee for this matter.

Yours very truly,

COOK, YANCEY, KING & GALLOWAY

  
J. William Fleming

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, District Manager  
Mr. Steve Bryson  
Mr. Jerome Ellard  
Mr. Louis Gilbert  
Mr. Jim Dodson  
Interested Owners, Represented Parties  
and Interested Parties on Attached List

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